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DAY DREAMS.

BY JOHN A. MAY. 'Twas Sunday morn; my thoughts did Rack on days fore'er gone by, While o'er a book I tried to ponder, Which on a desk near by did lie.

A country school came to my mind, At which a term I chanced to go; All sorrow seemed to lag behind And naught but brightness did bestow

Yes, sweet times past, I then remembered; Wondered if they'd gone forever— Wondered if they were encumbered, And from me so soon must sever.

Though many miles now lie between me And the friends I used to great In that dear school-room, in the country, Where so oft we used to meet.

Yet, in my day dreams, I can see them As they sit around that room; Some, their eyes on legsons beamding, Others talk of plays at noon.

There was Kate, and there was Lizzie, Sitting two seats from the door; One seat back eat 'Ket and isl— Ist, loved so long of yore.

In front of Kate sat darling Knuna— Oht she was a sister dear; But since then she, with the many, Crossed the stream which many fear.

From the corner, on the right side, Off my books I've pondered o'er; How sweetly did the moments glide In those pleasant hours of yore! Thus it was, in that dear school-room, Only three short years ago, Near fifty children, in their bloom, Were studying, seated in a row.

Thus it was my mind did wander On that bright and sunny morn, To that school-room, 'way off yonder, Where I sedom felt foriorn.

A WIFE'S MISTAKE

Bertram Chester entered his cozy par-

know exactly how my account stands, and know what this extravagance will

He sat staring listlessly out of the window, a sort of apathy having fallen

"Berta, dear, you are borrowing trouble. You are looking at the dark side now; but come into the drawing-room, and I will play your favorite songs on our new piano, and the charming music will caus; your fears to vanish. Come," she said, taking his hand, "The dark side!" he said, gloomily. "Yes, Stella; for there is no bright side for me to comtemplate now, and you for me to countemplate now, and you will soon feel the cost of this vain extravagance cating into your soul."

He arose and hurried from the house.

He returned at nightfall care-worn and haggard. A month later his worst fears were realized. Everything went to sat-isfy the demands of his creditors; for when it became known that he was

some fields. According to the state of the s

"O, hush! I am tired to death of consists; not in the vain pomp of world-hearing your doleful complaints. Your ly possession, or in the parade of costly face is as long as my arm. I tell you we furniture, but in the possession of a can and will have it!" she said, as she cheerful, contented disposition and a rose and left the room in anything but faithful, loying heart. I have had a tor-

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a lady-like manner.

Bertram bowed his head, and a moan oscaped his lips. "She is blind? Can she never realize what this vain determination will bring upon us? If she carries her plans into execution, happiness will vanish from our fireside, and ruin, financial and perhaps moral, will be the result."

Time passed on, and one day Bertram was called away to attend to some urgent business. Stella had said nothing more concerning the new furniture since their discussion of the matter, and he fondly hoped she had abandoned the idea. He was gone three weeks, and when he returned home new and cost-ly furniture throughout the whole house greeted his vision. It was a death-blow to his hopes, and he sank into a chair mouning.

"Stella, you have ruined me! Without his extra expense, I could have met the demands of my creditors; but now all will sooner or later be swallowed up in the gulf of financial ruin. I know exactly how my account stands, and know what this extravagance will some content of the financial ruin. I know exactly how my account stands, and know what this extravagance will some content of the financial ruin. I know exactly how my account stands, and know what this extravagance will some content of the financial ruin. I know exactly how my account stands, and know what this extravagance will some content of the financial ruin. I know exactly how my account stands, and know what this extravagance will some content of the financial ruin. I know exactly how my account stands, and know what this extravagance will some content of the financial ruin. I know exactly how my account stands, and know what this extravagance will some content of the financial ruin. I know exactly how my account stands, and know what this extravagance will some content of the financial ruin. I know exactly how my account stands, and know what this extravagance will some content of the financial ruin. I know exactly how my account stands. Some and the first three first the first had some coding its first house of the first had some code sentiment which had received an emphatic endorsment at a recent election in Missouri, and to an existing agreement between his colleague, Mr. Drake, and himself, that his own speech should be made before the withdrawal of the latter from the Senate.

Mr. Schurz proceeded to show that the distractions of the processor of the senate.

"There is hoped for the fallen, said Berta, as he drew her head upon his bo-som and kissed her fondly.
"Berta, this is the happiest day of my life, and hereafter you will ever find me a faithful, loving wife, whose chief aim will be to make you happy. I will live for God and you." the disfranchisement of persons engaged in the rebellion was a temporary expewill be to make you happy. I will live for God and you."

"And you will never again see me under the influence of alcoholic stimulants, as I have found that it only drowns the voice of conscience to fure one on to the deepest, darkest pit of hell; it charms to destroy. To morrow we will leave this city—cheerfully leave it, with its ruinous temptations, and go to a new home. Cheer up, little wife, there is yet happiness in store for us. The darkest hours are all past, and we will ascend the hill of life with our lesson written upon the tablets of our hearts, to keep us ever in the path of rectitude." dient, and a measure solety rendered necessary by the new social condition in the South, consequent on the close of the war. He held that removal by the party South, consequent on the close of the war. He held that removal by the party which imposed them, and while still in its accondency in the Government, all political disqualifications, cape cially from the bollot-box, was essential to the restoration of traternal feeling, and proving that such measures had not resulted from viedletiveness, but necessity, and as bringing the late rebels to a full realization of their share with ourselves in the institutions and greatness of the common country. Such was among the reasons governing his course in the late movement. Quating from a resolution offered by himself in the National Republican Convention of 1868, declaring the Republican party in favor of the removal of the political disabilities as soon as compatable with the public safety and of welcoming back to the Union the loyal people of the States lately in rebeilion who would accept the new order of things. He said this was part of the platform on which General Grant was made President; but how had that premise been carried out in Missour! Only by the victory of the Republican party who insisted upon its good faith and by its assistance when the other party resisted enfranchisement after party honor commanded then to grant it. What hope could Republican shave of winning over the re-enfranchised? The principal opponents of the movement within the Republican ranks were those whose whole political stock in trade consisted in buttle cries of civil

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and letter by letter, to other big mouthed bags in waiting, destined for all the great railway lines of the West.

It is dangerous sitting in a mail car when the clerks are at work. Every second a package goes whizzing past one's head, aimed at a box or a bag in the opposite end of the car, and the intruder is kept coustantly doiging. To a casual observer, it seemed that Harism approached the pile of pockages, closed his eyes, and commenced slinging mail matter promiscuously at the rate of five hundred jerks a second, each article, however, alighting in exactly the right place.

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As one of the muit cars of the road was wrecked by the recent accident at Caldwell, a new car is being built at and the unarmed men-he being the only one carrying side arms—took thir-teen prisoners. He was decorated with

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A VENTRIL QUISTS' DECEPTION — A

The Boston Journal says the apple crop this year in Maine has been an immense one. On account of the great abundance of this fruit, and the extremely lay have not considered a portion of their yield as worth picking, and the fruit lies rotting on the ground. A few days since an apple grower went to market with a load of choice fruit, and he could not sell it at any price. He wanted to exchange it for flour, but he met with no better success. He carried it home, and it will probably be converted into vinegar, as cider is very low, say fitten youngar, as cider is very low

Be not hasty in thy tongue, and in thy deeds slack and remiss.